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Mrs. E. Atherton Smith delighted a large audience last evening in the Art Club on Peel street by a very interesting and instructive address, with views of the Yosemite Valley and its surroundings. Beginning at Kansas she traced the way along to the Santa Fe railroad. The picturesque scenery around this section was beautifully described. Going into California and as far south as the San Bernardino river, then the entrance to the Yosemite Valley and up the valley. These views were secured by Mr. Smith of that section of the country. Mrs. Smith explained fully each picture, its wonders, its picturesque formations, verdure and climate. Her lecture was given with her usual fine powers of vivid description and the views created great interest. After the enjoyable lecture a vote of thanks was accorded Mrs. Smith by A. M. Belding. The large audience present enjoyed the lecture immensely.

W. S. Fisher acted as chairman for the evening. The proceeds are to be devoted to the Art Club of the city.

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**WOODSTOCK**  
 Woodstock, April 24—Lieut. Orford will leave in a few days for a convalescent home in Toronto.

J. Walter Harrison, of North Devon, has enlisted in the 65th Batt., at Woodstock.

Rev. A. H. Trafton and Mrs. Trafton have rented their home at Woodstock, and will spend the spring and summer visiting the members of their family.

Mrs. Harold Hayden left Thursday night for Toronto, where she will join her husband who has been in that city for several months. They will return after visiting Boston, New York and Philadelphia.

Mrs. Robert King who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. Perley Hartley, has returned to her home in Fort William. She was with Mrs. Hartley and children, who will spend several weeks in Fort William.

Mrs. Geo. E. Balmalm entertained at the tea hour Saturday, in honor of Mrs. William Dickenson, of Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. St. Leger are celebrating the marriage of their daughter, Helen Marguerite, to Mr. Carl Rhodes Douglas, April 6th, at Bangor.

St. Luke's church observed the anniversary of the second battle of Ypres on Sunday last. Reference was made to the event in appropriate psalms and hymns. A detachment of the 65th Battery were present, and a representation of the veterans of Ypres.

News has been received here of the marriage of Miss Agnes, of St. John, by Dr. Oramer of Mrs. F. R. Cooke, of Evergreen, Cal., and formerly of Woodstock, to Mr. Edward Arthur of Sacramento.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dunbar and little daughter, Agnes, left on Wednesday for Cabano, Que., where they will in future reside. Mr. Dunbar has accepted the position recently made vacant by the death of his brother, William, with Fraser Limited. On Tuesday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. William Blake, the choir of the Presbyterian church, presented Mr. and Mrs. Dunbar with a handsome silver scallop dish. The presentation was made by the Rev. Frank Baird. The hostess served refreshments during the evening. Mr. and Mrs. Dunbar have the best wishes of a host of friends who regret their departure.

**WEDDINGS**  
 A pretty wedding took place last evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Proffit, 77 Exmouth street, when in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends, Cecil Murray Whelpley, bookkeeper of Canadian Fairbanks Morse Co., Ltd., was united in marriage to Miss Pearl Elizabeth Proffit by Rev. D. J. MacPherson. The bride was gowned in Belgium blue silk. Miss Margaret Bell, of Carleton Place, bridesmaid and Harold G. Olsen supported the groom. The wedding march was played by Miss Grace Cunningham, cousin of the bride. They were the recipients of a large number of beautiful wedding gifts. After a delightful luncheon the happy pair left for a short wedding tour, and will reside in St. John.

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**REV. FR. MINEHAN**  
**CONSCRIPTIONIST,**  
**TALKS PLAINLY**  
 Toronto Roman Catholic Priest Makes Caustic Reply to Ancient Order of Hibernians on Ireland's Troubles.

Toronto, April 25—Rev. Father Minehan has made a caustic reply to a resolution of the York County Board of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, condemning him for his support of conscription for every part of the British Empire, Ireland included.

"The individuals who honor me with their censures," states Father Minehan, "are surely intellectually very local indeed; in fact, microscopic. They are also 'ancient,' very ancient, so much so that they know nothing of the changed conditions in the British Isles during the past quarter of a century. The land laws of Ireland in my boyhood were the worst in the world; they are the best today. In other departments, too, great improvements have taken place."

"The British democracy, which was not responsible for Irish conditions in the past, is now showing a determination that Ireland shall have an opportunity of developing her national genius under the protection and encouragement of what is the most liberty-loving Government of King George V."

"There is a splendid opportunity for enlightened statesmanship to close the dark record of Irish woes and usher in the sunrise of a glorious epoch."

"I tremble lest the opportunity be lost by the mutual hatreds of Anglophobes and Romeophobes Irishmen whose proper place would be a Kilkenney cat inferno."

"To such as these, everyone who does not agree with them is a 'so-called Irishman.' Heaven help the country which would be ruled by such! The Lennox, Trantskys and Carrans would be moderate in comparison. They can of course, meet and condemn conscription for Ireland, but woe to the one who dares to express any other opinion. Their every insinuation in my regard is a slander, but that is their highest standard of patriotism. They are a 'precious' lot of cattiffs whose condemnation is the best compliment to those who believe that help of Ireland, and not rabid hatred of England, is the truest way of benefiting both."

**EARLY ELECTIONS**  
**IN WEST. COUNTY**  
 An Exchange Relates a Few Interesting Facts Regarding Elections Here Many Years Ago.

The Amherst News in a recent issue refers to the 75th anniversary of Hon. Josiah Wood and goes on to relate some interesting political history. The News says:

"It is perhaps not out of place, however, to recall that Mr. Wood in his political days was quite a politician, and that one of his elections hinged very largely on peculiar conditions here in Cumberland. It will be remembered that while Sir Charles Tupper was the dominant personality in political affairs in this country for twenty years after confederation, Hon. Albert Smith had an almost equal ascendancy in the county of Westmorland. He was elected to Parliament as a Liberal at Confederation time by a majority of 1,753, and in the two following elections, he was elected by acclamation. Even in the famous National Policy sweep of 1878, Mr. Smith came through with a majority of 644. Such an opponent was no small proposition for Mr. Wood to tackle in his first election in 1882, Events in Cumberland, however, served to help him. It was one of the peculiarities of Sir Charles Tupper that in spite of his canvassing abilities and his great national reputation, he seldom came before his own people without some allurement to give point to his words. It was not necessary for the success of his election, but perhaps it served this purpose that it made his labors less strenuous in Cumberland and gave him more time to assist in the campaigning elsewhere. In the 1882 election, Sir Charles had the Tormentine railway in his eye, and whether he ever promised it or not, there were a lot of Liberals who believed that Sir Charles' election would mean that this road would swing into Amherst. They were so convinced of this that they gave the old War Horse his election by acclamation. Sir Charles was duly grateful, but the next day he stepped over to Westmorland where the young Conservative candidate was hard pressed, and the electors of the southern and eastern section of that country were filled with the same vision as many of those of Cumberland. The result of it all was that the old invincible, Hon. Albert Smith was beaten. Josiah Wood became the representative for

Westmorland by the substantial majority of 653—a majority increased in the next election to 843 and in 1891 to the record majority for Westmorland county of 1,148. The affair was quite satisfactory to the people of our neighboring province, but it had less satisfactory results among Sir Charles' political friends and enemies at home. For a time many of them thought that they had been betrayed, and it was several years before many of them held out the same warm hand as before."

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